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SUBJECT: CONSULTATIONS ON LAWS OF WAR -- VISIT OF  
DEPUTY LEGAL ADVISER

REFS: (A) STATE 164771; (B) USNATO 3775

1. U. S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND FRG DEFENSE MINISTRY  
ARE PLANNING BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS IN BONN ON LAWS OF  
WAR. U.S. HAS PROPOSED AUGUST 8. THIS WILL BE PRECEDED  
BY FOUR DAYS OF BRIEFINGS ON THIS SUBJECT BY WASHINGTON  
OFFICIALS ELSEWHERE IN GERMANY WITH EUCOM AND SEVERAL  
OTHER U.S. COMMANDS. STATE DEPUTY LEGAL ADVISER ALDRICH  
WHO IS HEAD OF USDEL TO THE GENEVA CONFERENCE ON THIS  
SUBJECT, HAS BEEN INVITED BY DOD TO PARTICIPATE. IN VIEW  
OF OUR DIFFERENCES WITH FRG WHICH HAVE RECENTLY SURFACED  
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IN NATO (SEE REFTELS), ALDRICH HAS ACCEPTED AND HOPES

THAT AUGUST 8 CONSULTATIONS WILL RESULT IN REDUCING, IF NOT  
ELIMINATING, THESE DIFFERENCES.

2. WE BELIEVE FRG MOD WILL INVITE FON OFF TO ATTEND  
CONSULTATIONS, AND PRESENCE OF EMBOFF WOULD BE MOST WELCOME.  
IN ANY EVENT, ALDRICH DESIRES SEPARATE APPOINTMENT WITH  
AMBASSADOR RICHARD BALKEN WHO HEADS FRG DEL TO CONFERENCE,

PREFERABLY LATE AFTERNOON OR EVENING OF AUGUST 7. ALDRICH  
HAS TO LEAVE FOR PARIS IN EVENING AUGUST 8.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY MAKE APPOINTMENT FOR ALDRICH WITH  
BALKEN, IF POSSIBLE, AND MAKE APPROPRIATE HOTEL RESER-  
VATION FOR NIGHT OF AUGUST 7. KISSINGER

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